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For: REFLOW FURNACE AND HEATER FOR BLOWING HOT AIR

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the referenced
application as shown below: